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Various Scripture

**The 1st step to R.E.C.O.V.E.R.Y:**

Realize I'm NOT God; I admit I'm powerless to control my tendency to do the wrong thing and my life is unmanageable.

**The 2nd step to R.E.C.O.V.E.R.Y:**

Earnestly believe that God exists, that I matter to him, and that he has the power to help me recover.

**The 3rd step to R.E.C.O.V.E.R.Y:**

Consciously choose to commit all my life and will to Christ's care and control.

**The 4th step to R.E.C.O.V.E.R.Y:**

Openly \_\_\_\_\_ my faults to myself, to God, and to someone I trust.

Take a \_\_\_\_\_.

**The 5th step to R.E.C.O.V.E.R.Y:**

Voluntarily submit to every change God wants to make in my life and humbly ask Him to remove my \_\_\_\_\_.

**The 6th step to R.E.C.O.V.E.R.Y:**

Evaluate all of my relationships. \_\_\_\_\_ to those who have hurt me and \_\_\_\_\_ for harm I have done to others except when to do so would harm them or others.

## Community Group Questions

1. What did the Holy Spirit impress on your heart during this past Sunday's sermon? What action steps do you need to take a result?
2. Do you have someone you can trust to share your hardest difficulties with? Why or why not? Is it because you don't really want to share with others or b/c you have not found that person yet? Are you seriously making an effort to connect with someone on this deeper level? Why or Why not? Have you pursued a Growth Group or Fight Club?
3. What keeps you from coming clean with others?
4. Have you ever taken a personal moral inventory? What was the result? If not, we encourage you to get alone and ask God to bring to mind what you need to own. Be ruthlessly honest about your motives and actions. Put your faults in writing. Accept responsibility. Ask for forgiveness. Practice James 5:16.
5. What are your major character defects? What areas of your life does God want you to change?
6. Who do you need to forgive in your life? What did they do? Have you released them?
7. Who have you hurt? Who do you need to make amends with and why? Consider how you would like someone to apologize to you and do the same.
8. Pray for one another. What are drawing the circle around? Have you shared your story yet? Have you completed the 4C's study?

